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29c.

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19c.

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We're sowing prices now that will bring us crowds of buyers—double in size the old throngs which have packed our aisles.

10c Herring-Bone Hair Cloth	1 1/2c
20c Imported Imitation Gray Hair Cloth	9 1/2c
Imitation Fibre Chamois	5c
6c Kid Finish Cambric, all colors	2 1/2c
12 1/2c Fast Black Moire	6 1/2c
15c Moire Rustle, black or gray	9 1/2c
20c All-Linen Stiff Canvas	12 1/2c
12 1/2c Good Linen Canvas	9 1/2c
20c Fast Nubian Black Percale	12 1/2c
25c English Moreen for Skirts	12 1/2c
25c Fine Taffeta Rustle Lining	15c
40c Genuine Hair Cloth	23c
60c Gray French Hair Cloth	35c
60c 27-inch Genuine Hair Cloth	39c
12 1/2c Percale in Brown only, 36 inches wide	4 1/2c

IT WAS A CLOSE SCORE

Washington and Portsmouth Nip and Tuck for Seven Innings.

SENATORS GOT THE DECISION

Virginians Hit the Ball Hard and Often, But Not Timely—A Wild Pitch and a Passed Ball Figured Heavily in the Senators' Victory—Brilliant Work of Heilmann.

To complete the list of commandment-breaking weather, it rained yesterday during the ball game.

But the looking clouds did not prevent a first-class game of ball between the Senators and the players from the old town on Elizabeth River.

In several ways it was the best game of the young season at National Park. The plays were sharp and clean, the score was close all the way through, and the minor leaguers kept the big fellows guessing until the contest was called in the seventh inning.

The F. V. V.'s are a stout, husky looking lot of fellows who they play ball as if they felt as well as they looked.

PORTSMOUTH'S NEAT UNIFORMS.

In addition to knowing how to select good players, the management of the Portsmouths display good taste in choosing their team. The uniforms of the visitors were the prettiest that have been worn at National Park in a long time.

The colors of canary and brown were suggested by a lady of Portsmouth, who was rewarded with a season pass for her good taste.

Pitcher Leach, an F. V. V. by adoption, but whose connection with the shadow of the Washington Monument was on the slab for the boys from oyster town.

Among other things that Leach absorbed in his young days was a knowledge of how to throw a sphere over a rubber square at a distance of 60.5 feet.

The former Washingtonian pitched a good game against the Leaguers yesterday, and has the best of the argument as compared with Mercer and Mulhally so far for the number of hits was concerned.

But for a wild pitch and a passed ball in the first inning this story might have been different. The Senators were quick to take advantage of the mishaps, and score the runs which ultimately won them the game.

The Portsmouths were weakened by the absence of their captain and second baseman, the well known "Lefty" Marr. "Lefty" is quite sick, and has not been able to play since Portsmouth defeated Baltimore by the score of 7 to 5.

TWO DOUBTLE PLAYS.

The fielding errors fell to Heilmann, the Portsmouth catcher. He investigated two double plays that materially interfered with the Senators' score column. This was the youngest's first season as a professional and if he keeps up his present gall he will feel a "draft" next fall when the National League magnates begin to look around.

The back stop of Catcher Heilmann was a pleasing feature. He is of the Jack Buckley build, and has that veteran's easy style behind the bat.

Mercer pitched the first three innings and was succeeded by Mulhally. Mercer did not exert himself, and only went into the game for the practice.

McGuire retired in the fifth in favor of his protégé, Mulhally, who handled Mulhally's drops until the close of the contest.

second, respectively, on a wild pitch and both of them scored on a passed ball.

Schuch went all the way to third on Burke's series of errors of his high fly over third base and the "German Ambassador" came home a moment later on Cartwright's drive to center. This closed the run getting for the inning, as Cartwright was doubled at second on McGuire's tap to short.

The Senators gathered their fourth and the winning run in the sixth inning.

After McGuire had flew out to center, Crooks singled. Jack got a "Dr. Kier" put on himself and stole second and scored on Heilmann's throw to second to catch De Montreuil's reliever.

The big league looked good for several tallies in their half of the seventh, but a lightning double play, inaugurated by Shortstop Heilmann, on Cartwright's hot put an end to the proceedings. It was like this:

Rodgers went out to first from short, but Pitcher Leach brushed Abbey's diaphragm and Schuch was allowed to walk. Cartwright followed with a cannon shot, but the F. V. V. shortstop knocked it down, and the run was followed by Leach, and Ed in turn was nailed at first.

HOW PORTSMOUTH SCORED.

Portsmouth could not get a run further than second in their part of the first inning, but they registered twice in the second.

With two hands out, Heilmann made a two-bagger, and scored on Leach's single to center. Leach followed with a neat clean hit to right, advancing Leach to third. On McGuire's wild throw to second to catch Leach, Leach failed. Burke was caught out. Heilmann's throw to Cartwright.

The F. V. V. threw their third run in the last half of the third inning.

As the season followed with Cartwright's Hargrove got one of Mercer's slow ones just where he wanted it, and drove it to right for a base. Heilmann sent into home with a two-bagger, and that closed run getting for the visitors.

The game, by mutual agreement, was called at the end of the seventh inning, to allow the Portsmouths to take the evening boat home.

THE SCORE.

The tabulated score and summary:

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WHEN BENNING REOPENS

Old-Timers Joyfully Anticipating the Coming Meeting.

HORSES ARE IN GOOD SHAPE

Fast Track and Fine Weather Help the Trainers Along—Hawthorne Looks to Have the Blue and Grey Handicap at Ivy City.

In less than a week the old familiar cry, "They're off!" "They're off!" will once more be heard at the Benning race course.

When Starter Tom Flynn steps into the stand at the five-furlong pole next Saturday and drops the hunting on the opening scramble of the Washington Jockey Club's spring meeting of 1896 he will have ushered in what promises to be not only the most successful season of the year, but also the most glorious year's racing that the American turf has witnessed since the halcyon days of Jerome Park.

After an idleness, to a certain degree enforced, of nearly three years, the beautiful course will wake to a new life. Once again the grand stand, the lawn and the club house team with crowds of lovers of the "sport of kings."

It will be those same "bookies," who have expensed the "cold bottles" were purchased, and at first they will be missed. Clean, legitimate, healthy, sport will be the first and foremost of the officials of the club. Racing conducted on purely sporting lines by a body of honorable, reputable and distinguished citizens is ideal racing, and the Benning meeting promises to be such.

The very names of the officers of the meeting guarantee its respectability. Mr. C. McWhorter will preside in the stand. Thomas M. Draney, who is a well known and H. G. Crookmore will be the clerk of the course and scales; W. S. Vossburg is the official handicapper and Messrs. S. S. Hoyland, Jesse Brown and B. A. Swigert are the stewards of the meeting. All of these gentlemen are known in connection with racing. Mr. Draney, in particular, is well known in local circles.

Indeed, a meeting at Benning without a representative of the Draney family would not seem natural. Founded by the late F. M. Draney, who, up to the time of his death, held the position of president, and owned a controlling interest in the stock, both father and son have been potent factors in the control of the Washington Jockey Club.

GOOD RAILROAD ACCOMMODATIONS.

Special trains will be run on 2nd and 2:30 p. m. direct to the track over the Baltimore and Potomac Railroad. The train leaving the Union depot in Baltimore will also stop at the course. In addition to this, omnibuses can be taken at the terminus of the Columbia cable cars which run to Fifteenth street.

Many of the old timers will hardly recognize the track and buildings. Improvements have been made with a hand that spared neither expense nor pains. The club house has been enlarged, the grand stand renovated, the old paddock torn down and a new one erected, many new stables built and laid out by any means, a "ladies' club house" erected. This latter is a novelty in its way and should prove a great success. Admission will be by invitation only.

There was a fear for a time that the thoroughbred at the track would not be in racing condition by the opening day, but that fear has gradually disappeared. Many of them were backward, but a run of good weather will give them plenty of chance to get into shape. There is no lack of material on hand, every stall at Benning being filled and at least a hundred horses quartered at Ivy City.

TRACK IN GOOD SHAPE.

Yesterday the track was in better condition than it has been during the past week—and it will be in splendid form today, when the Benning track is opened. It is probably as fast as any in the country. Some horses from nearly all of the stables did fast work during the day.

The most impressive work yet seen was that done by M. F. Stephenson's four-year-old colt, Hanwell, by Hanover-Attraction. This is one of Trainer Decker's charges and being entered in the first fixed event of the meeting, the Blue and Grey Handicap, is naturally the center of attraction.

Another Blue and Grey candidate that was worked yesterday was "Virginia" Bradley's Mrs. Stuart. Her performance was hardly up to that of Hanwell, although

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He went the distance in very handy fashion in 1:19 1/2. Fred, Durlew had three of his out. Ray Dixie, Jr. Buy or wear what the other dealers usually ask \$12 for. It's a grand value.

MORE HORSES FOR BRADLEY.

Another big lot came in for Bradley. It consisted of the farm string, fifteen in all. They could not be accommodated at Benning, so some of the older division that came up from New Orleans were sent over to Ivy City so as to make room.

Among the new arrivals were five Chancellor colts, as follows: Right Chance, No Chance, Second Chance, Other Chance and One Chance. They colt, full brother to the great Morrell, by Edouard-Ceresse was also among the lot. In the older division were Capt. Russell, a three-year-old colt, by Edouard-Ceresse, a full brother to Russell; Lady Greenway, Florine Hubbard, Pearl Buck, Buckeye and Helias.

The latter is jumping and promises to go well over the stakes. Milton T and a colt by Imp. Waterlevel-Murphy were also among the lot that went to Ivy City.

At the Benning track, which is attracting much attention is that of J. E. Kiteon. He has five two-year-olds and Merry Monarch. The latter is in very good trim, and will be a contender for the Ivy City track will testify. Among the two-year-olds is Whitwind, by Stratmore-Spinaway, making him a half brother to Lazzarone and Dick Croker's Montague. This colt is a grand looking animal, standing over sixteen hands high. Being so big he will hardly be a race before the latter part of the summer.

The other youngsters are Sigfried, by Imp. Wagner-Godwin-Moscow, by Muscovy; Inverness, by St. Blaise-Carnegie, and Achieve, by Cheviot.

St. Michael, Tom Harding and Key West represent the Maryland side of the Ivy City, while Jockey Jim Murphy has in the same stable a two-year-old filly by Seausation, called Adelaide.

McCarron's good little horse, Bowling Green, was given three-quarters by Frank Reagan yesterday at a two-minute clip. This horse stood the New Orleans meeting very well, and should get some of the early prizes at Benning. Reagan has a two-year-old by Plover-Hope, called Sangline, that is a hummer. It won its last three starts at New Orleans and has a record of a half in 0:49 flat.

ORIOLES DEFEATED THE STEERS.

New Haven Men Scored Once Only and Baltimore Scored Six.

Baltimore, April 11.—Manager Hanlon and his band of pennant chasers returned today from their ante-season practice trip and this afternoon played the first game of the year at the City Park.

The champions crossed bats this afternoon with "Ted" Sullivan's New Haven "Texas Steers," owing to unfavorable weather conditions the attendance was kept down to a few hundred. The score:

Baltimore..... 0 1 0 0 2 2 0 x-6
New Haven..... 0 0 0 0 1 0 0 0-1

His—Baltimore, 11; New Haven, 7. Errors—Baltimore, 1; New Haven, 3. Batteries—Cortick and Robinson; Gray and Bowerman; Bullet-proof Ned and Hodge.

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The famous paintings of the late Delorme, who created the now famous "Blacksmith," will be on free exhibition in our art rooms a little later in the week. There will be seven canvases—each a masterpiece. We want you to come and see them. Watch our ads. for notification of the date.

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years this mountain has advanced over a space of fifty centimetres—more than half a yard—which feat would certainly not be anything wonderful for a bicycle, but beats the record as far as mountains are concerned. This event is the most important as the Jauffre hangs over the town of Grand Combe, whose population of miners, estimated at about 6,000, is in the greatest panic. And they may well be anxious, for the geologist Dabree is far from reassuring in his statements. "This is not the first time," he says, "that this mountain moved, throwing the people into the greatest consternation throughout the valley. Some years ago a slight deviation was noticed; engineers came to the rescue and built a wall or dam that served as a prop or dam to keep back the enterprising mountain, but recent events have shown that this precaution was insufficient." What next?

I owe an apology to those who were unable to be with me at my stands in Riggs and K street markets on Saturday, owing to the crash, and I have decided to make these prices good for Monday and Tuesday at my stands—viz. 35c per lb. for the Best Butter made, GIBBONS, Butter Dealer, Riggs and K street markets.

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